



May 21, 2025

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

"I am requesting funding for Regional Fire, EMS, & Police Substation Replacement Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Gadsden located at 90 Broad Street Gadsden, AL 35901. This project will replace the city of Gadsen's two oldest fire stations with modern facilities and new police substations for community policing and reduced emergency response times. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the two substations will service opposite ends of the municipality which is a regional hub of commerce, transportation, and water-based recreation. Both facilities will offer fire, hazardous materials, and emergency medical services. Attached to the facilities will be new police substations offering enhanced coordination of law enforcement presence.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family."

Sincerely,

Mike Rogers

Member of Congress